

# **CITY PROJECT PRIORITIES 2011**

## **City of Biggs**

*Approved by Council Feb 2011*

**Bold items are top priority must-do**

<i>Priorities</i>	<b>More Important</b>	<b>Less Important</b>
<b>More Urgent</b>	<p><b>Extend police services contract</b> by Mar 1</p> <p><b>Identify lower cost medical insurance</b> by Aug 15</p> <p><b>Adjust water rates</b> Feb/Mar</p> <p><b>NCPA Alternatives Analysis</b></p> <p>Redefine project and obtain financing for WWTP Upgrade (wastewater treatment plant)</p> <p>Complete CalTrans approval: Sixth Street Bridge replacement</p> <p>Post-WWTP analysis: Sewer fund and rate analysis</p>	<p>Complete Personnel Manual, implement new pay system and safety program</p> <p>Implement credit card options for utility customers</p> <p>Report obligated vs unobligated fund balances quarterly; develop plan and show trend toward 40% reserves.</p> <p>Replant trees, transform downtown appearance with citizen participation</p> <p>Post-fireworks traffic exit plan.</p> <p>Complete nuisance code changes, implement effectively</p>
<b>Less Urgent</b>	<p>Complete sidewalk repair project</p> <p>Replace damaged gutter valleys</p> <p>Implement utility charges for all properties</p> <p>Establish plan for alternative energy site here.</p> <p>RFQ City Engineering and auditor</p> <p>Complete GP Update policy document</p> <p>Seek grants for storm drains, sidewalks, paving, Library ADA, Biggs Community Hall, jail plan</p> <p>Prop 26 analysis on ops and finances</p>	<p>Plan and implement school zone safety measures</p> <p>Provide emergency power for storm drain lift station on Seventh</p> <p>Seek interns for PW and admin projects</p> <p>Review/revise existing construction standards</p> <p>Truck Routes – routes and signage</p>

## **CITY PROJECTS REQUIRING COUNCIL/VOLUNTEER EFFORT:**

The following are priorities for the City, but limited staffing resources and competing priorities will make these impossible to accomplish without significant citizen involvement.

It is understood each will require some level of coordination, support and/or approval from city staff and council.

- ☐ Transform downtown appearance consistent with Downtown Visual Master Plan – clean, planters, benches, etc.
- ☐ Establish plan for Trent St Playground, seeking funding and volunteer workers.
- ☐ Repair tennis courts.
- ☐ Start Biggs recreation programs – leverage assistance from YMCA or other?
- ☐ City “Golden Rose” Award to recognize outstanding improvement of properties.
- ☐ Develop a tree replacement plan for residential areas of B St.
- ☐ Explore potential, obstacles, opportunities for rail-side ped/bike trail to Gridley.
- ☐ Complete Public Works policy & procedure manual (probably 20% complete now).
- ☐ Get to 100% complete on emergency operations procedures and checklists (probably 80% complete now, always needs updating).
- ☐ Get teen center occupied and running